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Sir:

The Examiner's attention is directed to the references which are listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08A. Citation of these references is respectfully requested.

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